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One of the purposes of the visit to Europe of Captain Chali Sindhusophon, Chief of the Signals Section of the Royal Thai Navy, is to make arrangements with the Italian Government for the delivery of two cruisers. These cruisers were ordered some ten years ago from Ansaldo (Trieste) and half the purchase price of them has already been paid by Thailand.

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